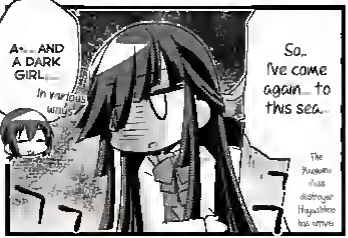
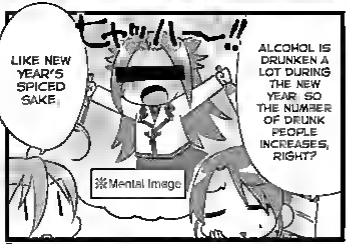
I'm the last ship of the Yuugumo class, Kiyoshimo. I may have taken a while, but it's nice to meet you!
SHE LOOKS LIKE AN ENERGETIC GIRL..
レ・ー・ー・ん

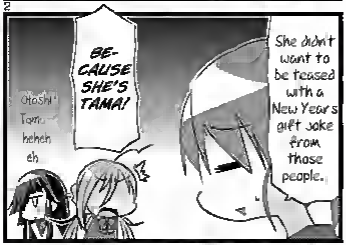
Some new shipgirls have been assigned immediately after the New Year, so we've come to greet them
IT'S NOT EVEN NEW YEAR'S WEEK AND THERE ARE ASSIGNMENTS, IT MUST BE BUSY.
MEANWHILE, HATSUYUKI SAYS SHE'S STICKING TO SLEEPING THROUGH THE HOLIDAY.



Destroyers
Miyuki Shireyuki Fubuki

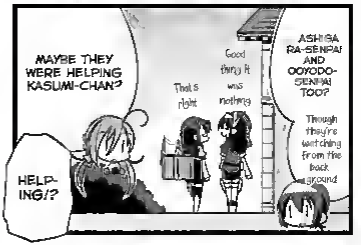
TAMA-SENPAI AND NEW YEAR'S


LIKE NEW YEAR'S SPICED SAKE.
ALCOHOL IS DRUNKEN A LOT DURING THE NEW YEAR, SO THE NUMBER OF DRUNK PEOPLE INCREASES, RIGHT?
※Mental Image

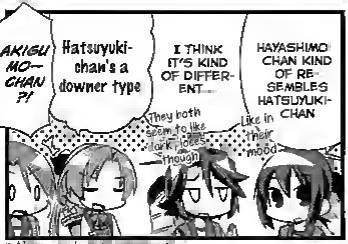


REUNION ASSISTANCE

Kiyoshimo! How have you been? Any injuries or sicknesses? Are you hungry?
OH, I GUESS I'M A LITTLE
THEN HAVE THIS!
Destroyer Kasumi



Note The final kanji of お年玉 can be read as Tama


AKIGUMO-CHAN?!
Hatsuyuki-chan's a downer type
I THINK IT'S KIND OF DIFFERENT...
HAYASHIMO CHAN KIND OF RESEMBLES HATSUYUKI-CHAN
They both seem to like dark colors though
Like in their mood

OH? THAT'S THE SHIRATSUYU CLASS'S ...
WE WERE IN THE SECOND DESTROYER FLEET!
SINCE YOU CAME TOGETHER DOES THIS MEAN YOU WERE ON THE SAME UNIT?

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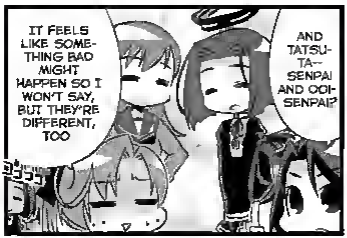
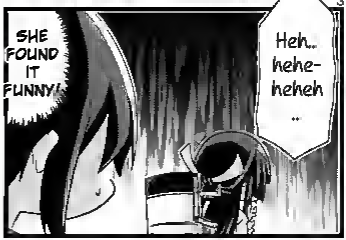


The world of characters sure is complicated, I thought.



OLDER AND YOUNGER SISTER
WITH MAKIGUMO
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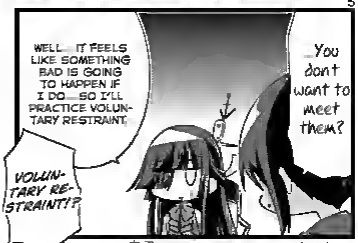
MAKIGUMO IS THE SECOND SHIP OF THE YUUGUMO CLASS, SO NAGANAMI, HAYASHIMO, AND KIYOSHIMO ARE MY LITTLE SISTERS!
OH YEAH, NAGANAMI-CHAN, TOO...
WELL, THE ACQUAINTANCE IS MAKIGUMO,
I WAS JUST THE ESCORT.
DO YOU ALSO KNOW KIYOSHIMO-CHAN?
Yay, caramels!
AH, RIGHT, WE HAVE A GIFT FOR YOU...
Destroyer Makigumo
THAT WAS JUST SOMETHING YOU DECIDED TO DO!
もきゅ
forever!
I could keep eating them
もきゅ
MAKI GUMO-NEESAN!
Makigumo-neesan!
THE OLDER SISTER!
Makigumo-neesan... you're eating too many at once...
Awww
WHY IS THAT PART SHOCKING TO YOU!?
YOU TWO ARE HER YOUNGER SISTERS!?

WITH MUSASHI

Note: Kiyoshimo rescued Musashi's survivors

EVASION


...You don't want to meet them?
WELL... IT FEELS LIKE SOMETHING BAD IS GOING TO HAPPEN IF I DO... SO I'LL PRACTICE VOLUNTARY RESTRAINT.
VOLUNTARY RESTRAINT!?

Note: 自粛 is the Japanese custom of apology followed by reclusion.

EAT A LOT
PERSONALLY
I have to eat a bunch if I want to become a battle-ship!
YOU SURE DO EAT A LOT!
Heavy Cruiser Nachi
I HEARD FROM OUR SEA PLANES!
LET'S CELEBRATE WITH MY FINEST RESERVE!
BATTLE-SHIPS EAT A LOT, RIGHT?
A BAT-TLE-SHIP!?
SO KIYOSHIMO HAS TO EAT A LOT TO GET BIG!
Ah...but... Hayashimo can under-stand why the Suntory boss's endorse-ments...heh heheheh...
Suntory whiskey...huh...but for now maybe the daily type...
Wha- so even if becoming a battle-ship is impossible...if the second revi-sion goes well enough, maybe to a light cruiser
I heard from Maruyu-san that Akitsumaru-chan recently got a second revision by eating a lot...
Can she really become one...?
YOU DON'T HAVE TO LOOK TOO MUCH INTO IT, SHE'S ALWAYS LIKE THIS
By "boss" does she mean the commander?
I DON'T REALLY GET WHAT SHE'S SAYING
You can guess what happened to the base's New Year's food situation after-wards...
LET'S EAT!
KASUMI-CHAN CAME BACK FROM PRACTICE AND GAVE ME ONE!
That's not your dinner right?
...AND WHERE DID YOU GET THAT RICE BALL FROM?
AGAIN!?